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CITY ITEMS.

The Cape Fear Artillery had a drill on Tuesday.

Splendid rains since last issue in these parts.

Col. John Gordon had his battalion out for drill on Wednesday.

Marshal Hill made a short visit to Wilmington Wednesday night.

Judge Euse, left for Onslow on Monday last, where he goes to hold court.

Col. W. S. Pearson, of Morganton, is in the city attending the Episcopal convention.

Mr. W. F. Lessman has opened a grocery store, corner of Market and Water streets.

Ex Judge Cantwell went to Statesville on Wednesday to deliver the memorial address.

Mr. Eugene Mallot, was elected a Lieutenant in the Cape Fear Artillery on Friday night last.

Mayor Fishplate is in Fayetteville on a short visit. You had better hurry home or things will get right funny.

Chas. King was before U. S. Commissioner McQuigg, on the charge of passing counterfeit money. No decision.

Dr. T. B. Carr has invented a dredging machine which is very highly spoken of. We hope he will make a fortune out of it.

Col. J. W. Atkinson refuses to be reconciled by the Waddell men by being on the delegation to the Congressional Convention.

A small house belonging to Messrs. Northrop & Cumming on 9th and Ann streets, was burned on Sunday last. Loss about \$200. Fully insured.

The Hook and Ladder company was out on parade on the 7th, enjoying their anniversary. They had a grand time over the good things of life at night.

John Merrick was very badly hurt by falling in a tar barrel at Messrs. Blossom & Evans' distillery in the upper part of the city. It is likely to prove serious.

The store of Messrs. Clark & Currie at Clarkton, on the C. C. Railroad, was entered on last Friday night by burglars and goods, watches, money, &c., taken therefrom to the value of \$750.

To-day being the 10th of May, it is Confederate Memorial Day. There will be a large turnout of the ladies and children, as well as the business men of the city. Most of the stores will be closed.

Messrs. Ed. Kidder, Donald McKee, A. J. DeRosier, Geo. R. French, Z. Latimer, W. A. Wright and W. H. McKoy, were re-elected directors of the Wilmington Gas-Light Company on Tuesday last.

A prisoner by the name of Lewis, tried to escape from Special Deputy Sheriff Davis, on last Saturday, when quite a lively chase took place. The result is the prisoner will be kept in close confinement by the Sheriff.

The fire at Mr. John F. Garrall's plantation near this city, on last Friday night, destroyed his smoke house with about \$800 worth of provisions. The building was valued at \$400, and the insurance on the property was \$800.

The Republican papers in North Carolina, and the places they are published at, are as follows:—

Register, Raleigh; Carolinaian, Elizabeth City; Spirit of the South, Rockingham; American, Statesville; New State, Greensboro; Pioneer, Asheville; Republican, Winston; Post, Wilmington.

Dr. W. G. Curtis, our very efficient Quarantine Physician, has gone to New Hampshire for a wife. We report him to Vance—he should be turned out at once, for having to import a carpet bagger from New Hampshire for a better half—that being the state that ex-Senator Abbott is from.

A young Democratic lawyer, a friend to Maj. Stedman, says he does not mind being beat by Col. Waddell's friends, but "he does hate like thunder having to go down into the grand jury room and swear before a new convert to Democracy for admission into a Democratic convention." He should not mind that for the new converts seem to be managing the Democratic party.

The Episcopal convention for North Carolina, met at St. James Church in this city on Wednesday, the 8th inst. The Rt. Rev. Thos. Atkinson, Bishop of North Carolina, called the convention to order. The Assistant Bishop, Rt. Rev. Theodore B. Lyman, was also present. The convention will be in session all this week. We will give a condensed account of the proceedings in our next.

Cannot the Mayor and other officials do something to stop so much crime in our city. We are afraid they are entirely too easy with criminals. When you find a person is guilty of violating the law punish him properly and he will not be so apt to do so again. But if you suspend judgment on the many promises they make, you will encourage crime. Heavy fines are the only remedy.

The Republican campaign in this county is likely to be a very lively one. There are at least forty aspirants for each office. The Democratic party, in this respect, beats the Republican party, for every Democrat you meet wants a position, and thinks Mr. Hayes intends the republicans to vote for them. In this, however, they will be mistaken, for republicans will vote for none but good and true union republicans.

The proprietor of the Wilmington Sea Side Railroad is extending his track on, Fourth street from Fourth and Red Cross to Market and Fourth streets, which will make it very convenient for persons living in that locality. The line will then run from Hill-ton to Castle street, a distance of about two miles; the other cross line from Oakdale Cemetery, around Front street and up Market street to Canaday's Park, the length of this route will be about three and a half miles, besides this he is having all the street cars put in thorough order.

Young A. P. Howe, a son of Mr. Alfred Howe, of this city, is a candidate for Register of Deeds, or as he says in this issue of the Post, he is a candidate for the nomination from the Republican Convention. Young Howe is in every way fully qualified, and we know no one who would fill the position better than he can. Then he comes out like every Republican should do, and says he is a candidate for the nomination. If nominated, then he will run, otherwise he will not. We call the present incumbents attention to the working of young Howe's card.

Messrs. Petteway & Schulkin.—We call attention to the ad. of the above firm in this issue and it gives us pleasure to state that these gentlemen are meeting up with great success on account of their fair and prompt dealing with their customers, and no one who deals with them once will ever leave them. They are prompt in attending to business, and being well posted they are able to give perfect satisfaction to those who patronize them. They keep on Water street in the very part of the business center of the city and convenient to their country friends, as well as to mercantile community.

Give Messrs. Petteway & Schulkin a call and be convinced of what we say.

Our personal appearance is a matter in which our friends and acquaintances have a right to a choice whether we shall inflict upon them an exterior uncleaned for and unattractive, a countenance marred by a neglected grizzled beard, or a crown guiltless of covering, half covered or thatched with white hairs, or whether we shall in deference to our fellows, pay due regard to our own persons, and make them presentable and acceptable in society. There are many helps for those who desire to do this, and there are none among them more acceptable than Hall's Hair Renewer and Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers. Both these preparations are kept for sale at all our drug stores, and if any of our friends are looking a little the worse for wear we advise them to make a note of it.—North Star, Danville, Va.

We publish the proceedings, in another column, of the Democratic Convention held Saturday last at the court room in this city. The most interesting attraction that took place, was the withdrawal of Maj. C. M. Stedman from the field as an aspirant for Congress. The Major took the opportunity to reply to Col. Waddell's speech made last week in front of his residence on 3rd street.

In this city. The speech of Maj. Stedman is very pointed and was not relished by the Waddell delegates at all. He told them in very plain language that they had lied on him and his friends and they knew it. And while he acquitted his opponent, Col. Waddell, of having any hand in the lying business, he did it in such a manner that every one could see that he thought Col. Waddell was at the head and front of the whole of it. It was, take it all together, one of the most scathing speeches we have heard in a long time.

The convention was boisterous in the extreme. The delegates on each side exhibited the most intense and bitter feeling towards one another. The mayor of the city, a Democrat, was repeatedly insulted by the Waddell delegates and their friends. But Col. Waddell has gained a strong hold; he now leaves his county with a unanimous delegation, which is a grand send off in the District Convention, and in our opinion, will give him the nomination for a fifth term. His friends are very jubilant over their success in carrying New Hanover for their favorite.

An Astonishing Fact. A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flowers. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western continent.

CUTTING SCRAPE—TWO MEN BADLY HACKED UP—ONE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED—A serious cutting scrape occurred on Tuesday night, about 12 o'clock, at the old Whitfield house, on Front, between Church and Castle streets, between two men employed on the Revenue Cutter Colfax, named John Wesley Foley and William Yerby. Foley got a cut on the right side of the leg, extending nearly the entire length of the thigh, and reaching nearly to the bone, another cut on the right cheek, penetrating nearly to the cavity, and still another cut on the right ear, a portion of which was nearly severed in twain, altogether constituting serious and dangerous wounds. His under garments are badly slashed up. Foley alleged that Yerby commenced the assault on him with a razor, inflicting the wounds already described on his person. Justice Hill had Yerby arrested and ordered him to give a justified bond in the sum of \$800 for his appearance before his court on the 18th instant, in default of which he was lodged in jail.

Foley, whose wounds are considered very serious, as we have stated, is confined to his room, on corner Fourth and Castle streets.

CUTTING AFFIR No. 2—A WHITE MAN DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED—ARREST OF HIS ASSAILANT.—On Wednesday evening, about 7 o'clock, a serious affair occurred at the saloon of Mr. John Haar, Jr., on Front street.—A corn doctor, who gives his name as Charles Brown had been playing cards in the back part of the saloon most of the day, with first one and another. During the afternoon Mr. George Sullivan happened in the saloon, when the corn doctor bantered him for a game of euchre. They played for some time, Brown being pretty drunk and very irritable, when Sullivan left the table, Brown commenced abusing him, charging him with taking advantage of him. Sullivan denied the accusation, remarking to Captain McGowan, who was trying to quell the trouble, that he did not want to have any fuss in his bar. The corn doctor kept following Sullivan up, cursing and abusing him, and finally called him a "d—d Irish son of a—b—h," upon which Sullivan knocked him down and punished him very severely about the head and face. Capt. McGowan succeeded in separating them, and Sullivan started to leave. Brown began repeating his remarks, when he was again knocked down and beaten by Sullivan until Capt. McGowan separated them. They got together the third time, Brown persisting in following Sullivan up and cursing him, and as the latter was about turning off from him Brown stabbed him in several places, the blood gushing from the wounds. The wounded man was taken up from the floor of the bar, where he had fallen, and carried into the rear room, when Dr. W. H. Bellamy was sent for, whose office was close by. He found Sullivan bleeding severely from a wound the blood from which was pouring so profusely that the doctor had to keep his finger pressed on the artery until other physicians could be sent for, upon their arrival the wounds were dressed. An officer of the police force, who happened to be in the neighborhood, appeared and arrested Brown, who showed signs of resistance, being armed with a large razor and a lancet, but was finally taken off to the guard house and locked up.

Mr. Sullivan lost a great deal of blood, but was taken to his home, in the southern part of the city, on a litter.

The Wilmington & Seaside Railroad are selling tickets (when a person takes one hundred rides) for \$3.00 a hundred. Every person can now ride on the street cars.

Ladies who value their complexion should preserve their health, and should guard against a torpid liver. Dr. Harter's Liver Pills cleanse from all impurities, and the Iron Tonic gives freshness and vigor.

It is only in the most fertile sections that Fever and Ague become a scourge. Happily for our race, Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific is an infallible remedy for all forms and degrees of malarial disorder.

The Supreme Court of the State of New York has decided that J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell, have the sole right to use the words Cherry Pectoral for a medicine, and has issued an injunction against F. V. Rushton, of New York City, for selling Rushton's Cherry Pectoral or Cherry Pectoral Lozenges, or any other use of the name to deceive the public. This decision of the high court includes all dealers who sell any similar article.—Port Jefferson (L. I.) Leader.

MEETING OF THE CAROLINA YACHT CLUB.—The regular annual meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club was held on the 6th inst., at the residence of Commodore Wm. A. Wright. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Purser's report was received and approved. An election of officers being entered into, resulted as follows: Commodore—Wm. A. Wright. Fleet Captain—O. A. Wiggins. Flag Captain—E. E. Burruss. Purser—John J. Fowler. All of the above are re-elections. Governing Board—I. B. Grainger, Walter Coney, John M. Cazaux. Measures—Wm. A. Wright, Jr. Two new members were received, and one more yacht, the Restless, was enrolled in the yacht squadron. The meeting then adjourned. After the adjournment of the meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club, the Governing Board held a meeting, and elected upon the Regular committee Messrs. John J. Fowler, Norwood Giles and S. P. Cowan. Upon the committee on Membership, Messrs. C. D. Myers, Geo. A. Peck and Berry Gleaves. The annual dues were then established at \$2.50, the same as last year. The meeting then adjourned.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the approbation of the Republican Convention.

JOHN G. NORWOOD.

To the Voters of New Hanover County.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, subject to the decision of the Republican Nominating Convention.

A. F. HOWE.

WILL OUR FRIENDS SUSTAIN US?

By your liberal patronage you enable us to keep prices within reach of all. Call and examine our stock and price our goods.

Meats, Dry Salt and Smoked Ham, Sides, and Shoulders, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Crackers, Flour, Sugar, Molasses, Coffee, Mackerel, Canned Goods of every variety, Soap, Candles, Candy, Tobacco, Cigars, Potatoes, Peas, Beans, Dried Apples and Peaches, Poultry, Eggs, &c., &c.

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I WILL be in attendance at the City Hall on Saturday, June 1, 1878, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and for the next twenty working days thereafter, for the purpose of receiving the Tax List of the inhabitants of this city and township upon all subjects of taxation which are to be listed for State, County and City purposes.

Call and list between 9 A. M. and 1 P. M. and 3 to 6 P. M., each working day.

JOHN S. JAMES, J. P.

may-10,24,31.] Tax List.

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Personal attention given to all work.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

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All orders from the country promptly attended to.

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Work as low as in the city.

Jan 15-ly

Flour, Sugar, Meat, Molasses.

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25 Bbls FLOUR, of various brands.

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15 Bbls MEAT, Ham, Shoulders, Sides, Strips, Butts.

25 Hbls and Bbls MOLASSES.

Call on or order direct from

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DEALERS IN

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We invite special attention to our large and extensive assortment of IRON, selected expressly for Smiths and Farmers' use, all of which, and much more, we offer at low-est prices, at the

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No. 9 Market St.

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PARKER & TAYLOR,

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22. Execute orders for all descriptions of Merchandise. Receive and sell all descrip-tions of produce.

23. Want a purchaser for one 100-Horse Power Double Engine, and Tubular Power, suitable to drive a Cotton, Factory, Mill or Distillery. Also, three pair 4½ feet Stones, with Gear, Shafting, &c. will sell low down.

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9th. PAIN-KILLER will destroy Bolls, Fel-lons, Whitlows (old Sores), giving relief from pain after the first application.

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THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 10, 1878.

FAYETTEVILLE, May 6th, 1870.

Editor of the Post:

In the late issue of your paper, May 4th, your correspondent in speaking of T. M. Smith's efforts to obtain the position of Collector of Internal Revenue for the 4th Collection District of North Carolina, states that the Republicans of this county are in favor of T. M. Smith, thereby intending to convey the impression that the Republicans of this section of country, desire to have I. J. Young removed, and Mr. Smith recommended as his successor; which is evidently a great mistake. We know nothing about Mr. Smith's aspirations for Mr. Young's place, neither have we endorsed him. Besides we are well satisfied with Mr. Young, and desire him retained in his present position. In case, however, of Mr. Young's resignation, we would prefer a gentleman of Fayetteville, whose claims should have the preference over Mr. Smith.

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[We publish the following letter at the request of the writer. We are not responsible for the opinions of correspondents.]

CEDAR CREEK, N. C., April 30, 1878.

R. B. Hayes, President of the U. States:

I have been a close looker-on since you have been President, at all your objects and aims, and it seems to me that you will at last fail; and as I live in the south and understand it perhaps better than you do, I hope you will not take it amiss for me to advise you in regard to them, and to help you on with your leading object to so satisfy them. Now, Mr. President, if you will resign, and all holding any office, will also resign, and let the Democrats manage the government in the way they wish, all will be well with them. For proof reflect on 1860-'61. The more you or any others try to take the management of the government from them, the more they will object. Well, if you will not take this advice and surrender, then I have other advice. It is this, in the first place try a little harder to satisfy and please your friends who helped to make you President, and in recommending to Congress some hints, I will give you. First our whole banking system, which is wrong in its judgment. First, the government is paying some \$50,000,000 a year interest on bonds to issue the present bills. Let the government issue her bills direct and pay no interest to bondholders. Second let Congress regulate interest over all the states and let it be at 6 per cent. The present banking system is nothing more than a swindle—no limit to what interest they can get or have a mind to charge. Look at the case as matters now stand. Our government bonds being bought up from 4 to 4 1/2 cents and sought after, and we, the people of the United States, down here in North Carolina, paying the swindling banks 12 per cent, three times what our government bonds are selling for. No wonder it is hard times.

Again, suppose you recommend to Congress to have our Navy put on good footing, for I am told it is not sufficient to protect our commerce. Again, remind Congress that the government has not many buildings in Washington City to conduct its own business in. Also, remind Congress that very few towns in the south have any postoffice buildings and ask them to make appropriations to do all this, and it will be just what the government needs, and put money in circulation and employ many now out of employment. But you and Congress may say this is not retrenchment. Very well, if retrenchment is the only thing, let us have it in full. Let Congress put down all salaries, their own included, 50 per cent. One dollar is worth two now to six years ago. If it is retrenchment with some let it be with all.

Last, but not least, send out your proclamation for the people never again to send 250 lawyer members to the House in Congress again out of 290 odd, as the present House stands, and I suppose the Senate has about the same percent of lawyers in it. I hope the good Lord will save the country for I am satisfied lawyers will not.

Yours,

JOHN C. BLOCKER.

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Formerly of Richmond, Va.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 10, 1878.

GRAND BALL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Maj. Stedman Withdraws—A Grand Row—The Lie and Other Pet Names Passed Freely.

Mr. C. H. Robinson, as Chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee, called the Convention to order at 3 o'clock p. m., Saturday, the 4th inst., and read the call for the same.

Col. Roger Moore moved that Maj. C. M. Stedman be requested to address the Convention, whereupon Maj. Stedman responded as follows:

Gentlemen, and especially my friends, in this Convention.

Before you proceed to the transaction of the business for which you have assembled, I desire in the interests of peace and harmony to say only a few words; for this is neither the time nor the place to speak so fully as my inclinations prompt me.

A large number of friends in the different counties of this district have insisted upon presenting my name for nomination before the Congressional Convention soon to be held. I finally yielded to their request, and I understand that a large majority, not all, of the delegates from the only county in which a convention thus far has been held, are my friends and supporters.

You all know the character and result of the brief canvass in this county. Colonel Waddell has a slight majority in the county according to the rule for voting as laid down by the Executive Committee, whilst perhaps a majority of the legally elected delegates here present favor my nomination.

I entirely acquit Col. Waddell, personally, and most of his friends, of all connection or even sympathy with the resorts to which this majority in the county in his favor has been obtained.

I could scarcely hope to escape calumny and slander in the face of the recent attacks upon our able and upright Chief Justice, Hon. W. N. H. Smith, whose private life has been so pure, and whose professional career so brilliant and stainless, that all thought he, at least, would be free from the assaults of envy and malice.

How a large number of votes were changed in two wards of this city, on the evening the primary meetings were held, by the statements widely circulated that all the employees of a railroad company who were not in favor of my nomination had been discharged; that a large firm in this city had also discharged one of its employees because he was not for me; and many other reports equally slanderous and false, are now well known. Circulated too late in the afternoon to be corrected, they did well their work.

My friends made the fight openly, honestly and fairly, neither aided by newspapers nor banks, as Col. Waddell intimated in his appeal for support; for the only newspaper in the district, or out of it, which manifested any disposition one way or the other, was the Raleigh Observer, whose columns teemed with the letters of Col. Waddell's friends, recounting his exploits and his greatness, and by a singular coincidence Col. Waddell thinks the Raleigh Observer the greatest daily newspaper ever published in North Carolina.

There are only three banks in this city. I am informed that all the officials and employees in two of them were strongly against me. I am grateful under these circumstances for the large and flattering vote which the delegates favoring my nomination have received. Never has a man had more devoted friends. Never have friends of any man stood by him more faithfully, earnestly and truly. I have neither publicly nor privately said one word against the official or private life of any candidate. I should spurn the most exalted position within the gift of the American people, if it must be reached by detraction and abuse of others. And now, in conclusion, (and I did not intend to say so much when I commenced,) I shall adopt a course which is opposed by many of my strongest and best friends.

The canvass in this county has brought about a state of feeling, which, if not corrected, can only result in injury to the Democratic party in this immediate locality. The county has declared for Col. Waddell by a small majority, and I think, under the circumstances, it is my duty to say to my friends in this convention that I will not consent that my name be presented before the District Convention, and such is my decision. I hold the success of the Democratic party in this district far above my personal wishes, and my only desire now in this connection is that the ill feeling engendered between brother Democrats may be forgotten, and that together they may march forward to a common victory giving their sincere and earnest support to the nominee of our party, who ever he may be, and sustaining him with hearty good will to the end of the fight.

This course brings peace within our own ranks and insures a triumphant victory in this Congressional District.

Mr. Robinson proceeded to read the names of delegates and the following were found to be present:

First Ward—O A Wiggins, Jesse Ives, W D Mahn, J M Henderson, S H Morton, J L Dudley, St John Fillyaw.

Second Ward—Roger Moore, Wm L Smith, Dr W E Freeman, G J Boney, Norwood Giles, J C Munds, A T London.

Third Ward—R S Radcliffe, R J Jones, Wm M Hayes, Jas Sprunt, Morris Bear, J W Woolvin, Jno M Robinson.

Fourth Ward—J W Atkinson, Jas Reilly, T M McKoy, W G McKee, C H Robinson, A Adams, J J Macks.

Fifth Ward—F H Darby, W H Goodman, G W W Davis, J D H Klander, A H Leslie, J J Dicksey, P T Dicksey.

Harnett Township—Jno L Corbett, Tobias Carney, Jno T Flowers, J W Murrell, Jas Smith, D Tarnell.

Masonboro Township—J A Farver,

Wm Martin, Bradley George, R E Heide, S F Farrow.

Cape Fear Township—A J Grady, Fred Johnson, James Cowan, J C St George, David Sanders, Edward Shriver.

The Chairman stated that there were no delegates from Federal Point Township, but that Messrs. Jno J Fowler and R F Eyden each had proxies authorizing them to represent the township.

Col Atkinson moved that the Convention should now proceed to elect a permanent Chairman.

Col Moore contended that the selection of a temporary chairman was first in order, and offered a substitute to that effect. Whereupon the ball opened in good earnest, and a lively time ensued.

The question being on the substitute of Colonel Moore, to elect a temporary chairman, the Wards and Townships voted as follows:

Aye—1st Ward, 234; 2d Ward, 331; 3d Ward, 304; Cape Fear Township, 32. Total, 901.

Nay—4th Ward, 284; 5th Ward, 242; Harnett Township, 110; Masonboro Township, 63. Total 699.

The chair declared the motion carried and the election of a temporary chairman in order.

Col Wm L Smith was nominated, and, there being no opposition, was unanimously elected temporary secretary.

Mr. Jas C Munds was, on motion, unanimously elected temporary secretary.

Col Roger Moore moved that a committee of three be appointed on credentials. Carried.

The chair appointed Messrs. W G McKee, A T London and Norwood Giles as said committee.

The committee retired to the Grand Jury Room and held their proceedings, and a lively time they had over the 5th Ward delegation. "The lie," "the scoundrel," "the scoundrel," and "d—d lie" was indulged in pretty freely—the Democratic Major getting it on all sides. Several fights were put off for another day, and finally the committee made the following report:

Your committee would report that they have examined the credentials of the delegates for the several Wards Townships and find the same correct, with the exception of Federal Point, and as neither of the gentlemen who hold proxies for that Township are voters of the Township, acting under the ruling established in 1874, your committee would report that in their opinion neither of the gentlemen are entitled to seats as delegates. Your committee would recommend the admission as delegates from the Fifth Ward of the following gentlemen:—F H Darby, W H Goodman, G W W Davis, A H Leslie, J D H Klander, J J Dixey, P T Dixey; and would also recommend that the following gentlemen be invited to seats on the floor:—J W Branch, Eli W Davis, S Mintz, T B Burnett, Joel Farrow, T W Player, C L Burkholder.

In view of the many complaints of undue haste in regard to the meeting held in the Fifth Ward, and to prevent a recurrence of the same in future, your committee would recommend that in future all meetings be called to order fifteen minutes after the hour appointed for its assembling.

NORWOOD GILES, WALTER G. MACRAE, ALEX. T. LONDON, Committee.

The report of the Committee was adopted.

Wm L Smith was elected permanent chairman and J. C. Munds permanent secretary.

Col. Roger Moore, the knight of the 2d ward, appeared before the gas-lights and offered the following very heavy resolution, which was adopted unanimously, (a very nice thing to do):

Resolved, That the course of Maj. C. M. Stedman, in withdrawing from the canvass at this particular juncture, thereby harmonizing the Democracy of New Hanover county, is deserving of the thanks of this convention and the Democratic voters at large, and the same are hereby heartily tendered him.

The following resolution was offered by Col. Moore in a very modest manner:

Resolved, That the chairman appoint sixty delegates to represent New Hanover county in each of the conventions to be held—State, Judicial and Congressional.

Col. Atkinson, the knight of the 4th ward, then appeared and offered a substitute, in substance as follows:

That the chairman should appoint the delegates on the recommendation of the chairman of the different Ward and Township committees, thus allowing the minority a representation.

There was considerable discussion over the two propositions, Col. Moore and a young inexperienced Democratic knight, Mr. A. T. London, speaking in favor of Col. Moore's motion, and Col. Atkinson, Maj. McKoy and special knight of the 4th ward, Mr. Macks in favor of the substitute.

The vote being taken on the substitute, the Fourth and Fifth Wards and Harnett and Masonboro Townships, with a total of 699, voted aye, and the First, Second and Third Wards and Cape Fear Township, with a total of 901, voted no.

The chair declared the substitute lost, and the original question, being put, was carried by the above vote.

The chair named the following gentlemen under the resolution:

DELEGATES TO THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION. Hon Geo Davis, John M Robinson, G J Boney, R F Eyden, O G Parsley, Jr, Pat Glavin, J W Atkinson, J W Branch, Wilkes Morris, John L D.

ley, W D Mahn, M J Heyer, R S Radcliffe, F J Lord, Samuel Bear, Jr, H A Bagg, Jas Sprunt, Aug Deumelandt, J Ives, C D Myers, Jno C James, Jas Alderman, F W Kerchner, S W Vick, L H Bowden, S H Morton, Owen Fennell, Jr, Roger Moore, John Colville, D S Sanders, John E St George, D G Worth, J W Dunham, J H Strauss, W E Hill, O A Wiggins, W P Oldham, J Madden, John L Cantwell, A H Van Bokhelen, Jos McLaurin, A T London, F M Wooten, A A Moseley, Capt J N Maffitt, Thos Monk, H G Latimer, A F Newkirk, St John Fillyaw, DeWitt C Love, J W Taylor, Louis Belden, Robt Lilly, W A Cumming, A L DeRosset, O Pearsall, C G Southerland, F C Singletary, R T Bowden, Wm Goodman.

He also appointed delegates to the State and Judicial conventions.

Col. Roger Moore offered the following, which, after prolonged discussion, was carried by the above defined vote:

Resolved, That the vote of New Hanover county shall be cast as a unit in the State, Judicial and Congressional Conventions to be held, and that a majority of the delegates shall decide for whom the vote shall be cast.

Maj. McKoy moved to adjourn, and, the question being raised, the chair decided that a vote should be taken by a call of the Townships and Wards, and the motion was lost by the usual vote, 901 to 699.

Mr. London moved that fifteen additional names representing the minority, be placed on the list of delegates to each convention.

Mr. Darby moved to lay the motion on the table, which was carried by the First, Fourth and Fifth Wards and Harnett and Masonboro Townships voting in the affirmative, 933, and the Second and Third Wards and Cape Fear Township voting in the negative, 667.

The chair called upon the delegations to name the executive committees elected at the meetings recently held, and the following were announced as the County Executive Committees:

First Ward—J J Ives, W D Mahn.

Second Ward—DuBrutz Cutler, Wm Calder.

Third Ward—Jas W Collins, Matthew W Heyer.

Fourth Ward—C H Robinson, J W Atkinson.

Fifth Ward—F H Darby, P T Dicksey.

Cape Fear Township—A J Grady.

Harnett Township—Gerrett Walker.

Masonboro Township—John J Farrow.

Federal Point Township—No selection.

On motion, the meeting then adjourned sine die.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

May 2nd.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market continues firm at 26 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages, with sales reported of 169 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 25 for Strained and \$1 27 1/2 for Good Strained, with sales reported of 2,000 bbls Good Strained at \$1 25. Also sales of 50 bbls Pale at \$2 50 per bbl.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged at \$1 40 per bbl, with sales of receipts at that price.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market opened unsettled, but later in the day, owing to heavy receipts, the prices were established as follows: \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2 00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened quiet at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 3/4 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 5 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 84 casks
Rosin, 961 bbls
Tar, 297 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 82 bbls

May 3rd.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market for this article was firm at 26 1/2 cts per gallon for country packages, with sales reported of 84 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 25 Strained and \$1 27 1/2 for Good Strained. Sales reported of only 1,500 bbls Strained at \$1 32 1/2 and 1,000 do Good Strained at \$1 35. Also sales of 90 bbls fine resin as follows: \$1 55 for Extra No 2, \$2 12 1/2 for Low Pale, \$2 50 for Pale \$3 for Extra Pale and \$3 50 for Window Glass.

TAR.—The market opened steady at a decline of 5 cents, the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1 40 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, the latter subject to the usual deduction of one-fifth, and \$2 00 for new Virgin. No sales.

COTTON.—The market for this article was quiet, with no material change in the quotations. Sales of only 24 bales reported at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
Strict Good Ordinary, 9 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 3/4 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 148 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 120 casks
Rosin, 1,709 bbls
Tar, 960 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 482 bbls

May 5th.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 26 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages, but at the close was quoted quiet without transactions. Sales of 20 casks city distilled at 27 1/2 cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 32 1/2 for Strained and \$1 35 for Good Strained without any reported sales.

TAR.—Market for this article is somewhat unsettled, with sales reported at \$1 45 @ \$1 50 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on Virgin; new Virgin \$2 00.

COTTON.—The market for this article was steady for the day, were at the following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
S. G. Ordinary, 9 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 24 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 70 casks
Rosin, 1,561 bbls
Tar, 327 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 319 bbls

May 6th.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at 26 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages with sales of 218 casks at that price, and 50 do city distilled at 27 1/2 cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 32 1/2 for Strained, \$1 37 1/2 for Good Strained. We hear of sales of 500 bbls Good Strained at \$1 37 1/2 per bbl.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1 40 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2 00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market opened dull and closed quiet at previous quotation. The sales, as reported, embrace only 49 bales, as prices ranging from 8 to 9 cents per lb, according to quality. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 3/4 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 199 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 120 casks
Rosin, 1,051 bbls
Tar, 454 " "
Crude Turpentine, 246 "

May 7th.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 26 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages. Also sales of 20 casks city distilled at 27 1/2 cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 30 for Strained, \$1 30 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 2,750 bbls of those grades \$1 32 1/2 for Good Strained and \$1 30 for Strained.

TAR.—Market firm and unchanged, the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1 45 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2 00 for Virgin.

COTTON.—The market was dull and nominally unchanged. The sales of the day amounted to 11 bales, at the following quotations:

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 3/4 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 68 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 182 casks
Rosin, 1,610 bbls
Tar, 13,496 bbls

May 8.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 26 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages, at which price 75 casks changed hands.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1 30 for Strained and \$1 32 1/2 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls at quotations.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged at \$1 40 per bbl, at which the receipts of the day were sold.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1 00 for Hard and \$1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2 00 for new Virgin.

Ordinary, 7 1/2 cts p lb
Good Ordinary, 8 1/2 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 3/4 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 140 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 68 casks
Rosin, 1,606 bbls
Tar, 194 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 408 bbls

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